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BARRACKS AND TRAINING AREA  
(45-02N 131-59E)  
PLATONO ALEKSANDROVSKOYE, PRIMORSKIY KRAY, USSR  
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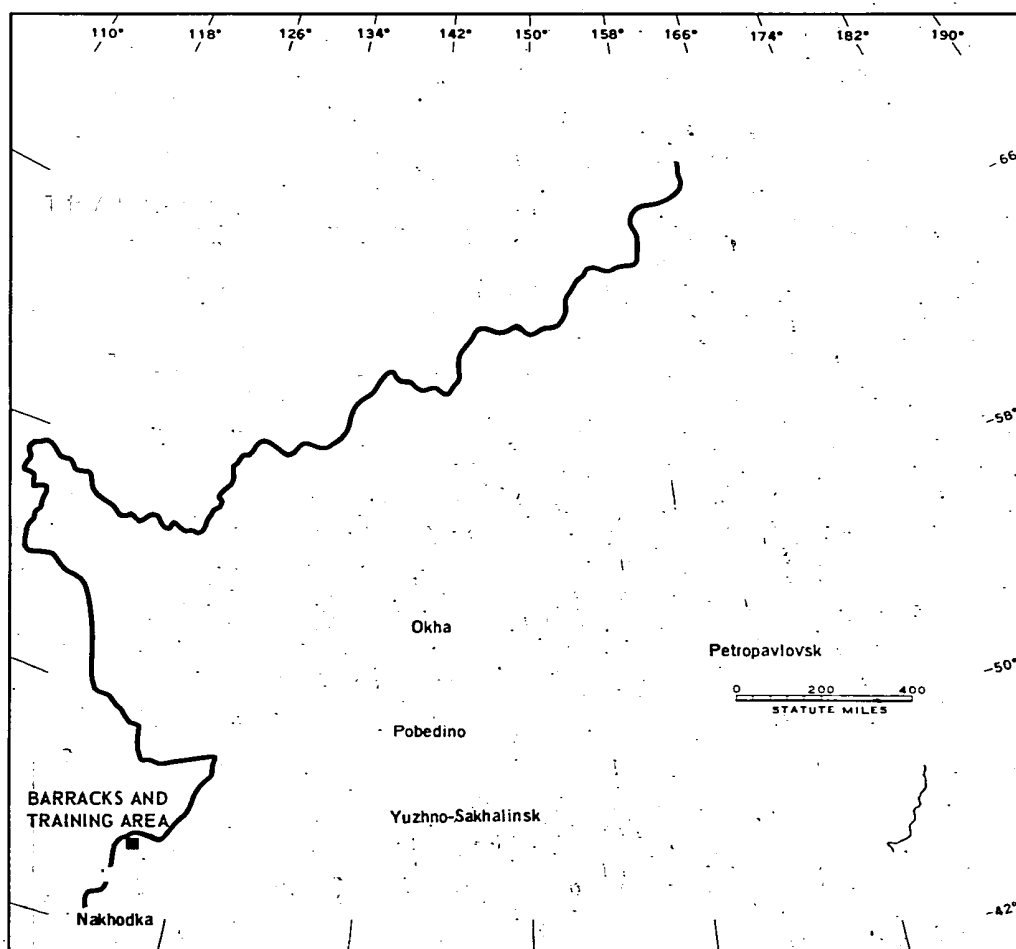


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF BARRACKS AND TRAINING AREA.

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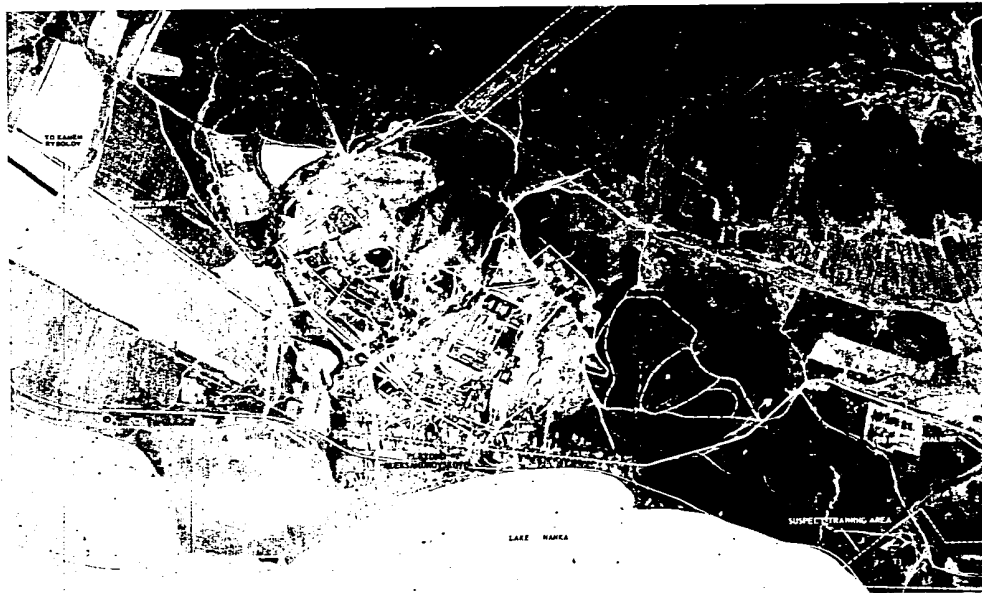


FIGURE 2 BARRACKS AND TRAINING AREA, PLATOND ALEKSANDROVSKOYE, USSR

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SUMMARY

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A barracks and training area is located immediately west of Platono Aleksandrovskoye (Figure 1).

The area covers approximately 3,550 acres and contains a total of 112 buildings, including 7 administration, 2 administration/barracks, 32 barracks, 9 quarters-type housing units, 13 storage, 3 possible storage, 3 probable explosives storage, 2 vehicle sheds/maintenance, and 41 support buildings. The area also contains 2 motor parks, 2 probable open storage areas, 2 athletic fields, 1 small-arms firing range, 1 driver-training course, 1 tank/assault-gun firing range, 1 suspect impact area, and 1 suspect area of training activity (Figures 2 and 3).

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The area was covered on [REDACTED] KEYHOLE

missions of interpretable quality between [REDACTED]. Comparative analysis indicates the area was constructed prior to [REDACTED] however, poor quality photography precluded identification of the individual buildings. There has been no significant change in the barracks area since [REDACTED]. The barracks area did not appear active during a period of snow cover in [REDACTED] however, subsequent winter coverage indicates the barracks are occupied year-round. The level of track activity in the training area was light from [REDACTED] light-to-medium from [REDACTED] and no winter training was observed from [REDACTED].

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION.

Railroad Service

A single track rail line passes 0.5 kilometers (km) east of this area. This rail line connects Kamen Rybolov at 44-44N 132-03E with Turiy Rog at 45-14N 131-59E which is 2 km south of the Sino-Soviet border. A transshipment point is located 7 km northeast of Platono Aleksandrovskoye at Novokachalinsk (45-10N 132-00E).

Road Service

A secondary, all-weather road connects this area with Kamen Rybolov and the Sino-Soviet border.

Administrative and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 2 administration buildings, 16 barracks, 2 administration buildings/barracks, 7 general storage buildings, and 2 support buildings.

Area D2 contains 3 administration buildings, 8 barracks, and 7 support buildings.

Area D3 contains 1 administration building, 8 barracks, 9 quarters-type housing units, and 12 support buildings.

General Storage Areas

Area E1 contains 1 administration building, 6 storage buildings, and 2 support buildings.

Area E2 contains 10 storage buildings and 6 support buildings.

Area E3 is a probable open storage area.

Area E4 is a probable open storage area possibly containing small buildings.

Area E5 contains 3 possible storage buildings.

Ammunition Storage Area

Area F is surrounded by a firebreak and contains 3 probable explosives storage buildings.

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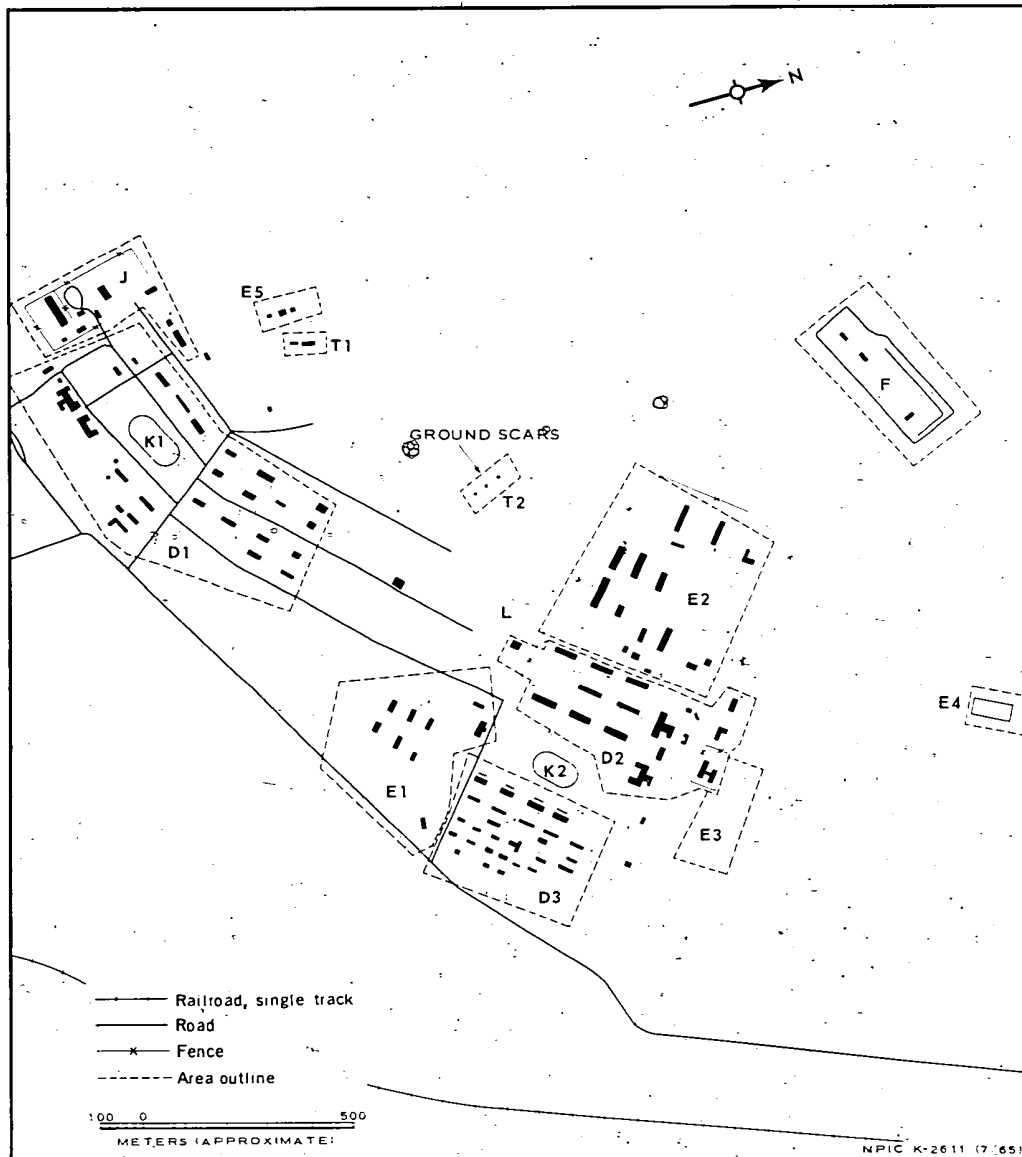


FIGURE 3. BARRACKS AND TRAINING AREA. Sketch compiled from Mission [REDACTED]

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Other Buildings

Five support buildings are dispersed throughout the installation.

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Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains 2 vehicle sheds/maintenance buildings (330 by 35 feet and 145 by 45 feet), 2 vehicle parks (250 by 85 feet and 185 by 155 feet), and 7 support buildings. An undetermined number of vehicles were observed in open areas on photography of [REDACTED]

Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Range

Area N is an approximately 5,100-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with at least three 1,400-foot lanes and a possible impact area. The range was constructed prior to [REDACTED]

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Athletic Fields

Areas K1 and K2 are athletic fields.

Unidentified Facilities or Tracking Activity

Area T1 contains 2 unidentified buildings located on a small hill.

Area T2 contains 3 unidentified in-line ground scars.

Area T3, not shown on sketch, is a suspect area of training activity which was first observed on [REDACTED] coverage.

Area T4, not shown on sketch, is a suspect impact area which was first observed on [REDACTED] coverage.

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Small-Arms Firing Range

Area L is a 350- by 85-foot small-arms firing range.

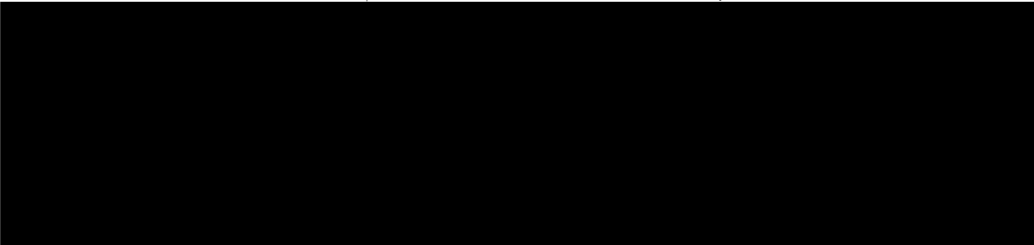
Driver-Training Area

Area M is a tracked-vehicle driver-training

REFERENCES

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PHOTOGRAPHY



MAPS OR CHARTS

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